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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Hiroyuki Hyodo
Serial No.: 09/849,966
Conf. No.: 9327
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For: CARBONACEOUS PROTECTIVE
LAYER, MAGNETIC
RECORDING MEDIUM,
PRODUCTION METHOD
THEREOF, AND MAGNETIC
DISK APPARATUS
Art Unit: 1773
Examiner: Resan, Stevan A.

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Date Registration No. 29,367
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- (X) RCE transmittal in duplicate with check for \$770.00.
- (X) Petition to Revive in duplicate with check for \$1,330.00.
- (X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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